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SUBJECT: VIETNAM EVACUATION OPERATIONS (U)

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1. (S) FOLLOWING IS A CLARIFICATION OF CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH C-1
FLIGHTS INTO TAN SON NHUT WILL TERMINATE AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHI
REMAINING DAO PERSONNEL WILL BE EXPEDITIOUSLY EVACUATED.

2. (TS) FIRST ATTACK BY FIRE AGAINST TAN SON NHUT WILL TERMINATE
C-141 OPERATIONS. ALL FURTHER FIXED WING OPERATIONS WILL UTILIZE
C-130 AIRCRAFT. THE FIRST ATTACK BY FIRE ON TSN WILL NOT, HOWEVER,

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AUTOMATICALLY INITIATE EVACUATION OF ALL DAO PERSONNEL. THAT
DECISION WILL BE MADE BY DAO SAIGON IN CONJUNCTION WITH COMUSSAG
AT SUCH TIME AS IT IS DETERMINED THAT THE SCOPE AND PATTERN OF THE
ATTACKS PROJECT A MEANINGFUL NEAR TERM DANGER TO FURTHER FIXED WI
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